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Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 7883.0097-02

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Katherine S. TWEDEN et al.

Application No.: 10/639,614

Filed: August 11, 2003

For: HEALING TRANSMYOCARDIAL  
IMPLANT

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) Group Art Unit: 3738  
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) Examiner: PELLEGRINO, BRIAN E  
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) Confirmation No. 5399  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME - ONE MONTH**

Applicants petition for a one month extension of time to reply to the final Office Action mailed October 6, 2005 and Advisory Action mailed January 19, 2006. A small-entity fee of \$60.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this Amendment and Request for Continued Examination and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: February 6, 2006

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